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WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON BY

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WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
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17-CV-00058 RSL-BAT

Sean D. Anderson

(Name of Plaintiff)

vs.

CIVIL RIGHTS COMPLAINT  
BY A PRISONER UNDER 42  
U.S.C. § 1983

Allen K. Richards

Seattle Police Department

(Names of Defendant(s))

I. Previous Lawsuits:

A. Have you brought any other lawsuits in any federal court in the United States while a prisoner?:

Yes       No

B. If your answer to A is yes, how many?: N/A. Describe the lawsuit in the space below. (If there is more than one lawsuit, describe the additional lawsuits on another piece of paper using the same outline.)

1. Parties to this previous lawsuit:

Plaintiff: N/A

Defendants: N/A

2. Court (give name of District): N/A

3. Docket Number: N/A

4. Name of judge to whom case was assigned: N/A

5. Disposition (For example: Was the case dismissed as frivolous or for failure to state a claim? Was it appealed? Is it still pending?):  
N/A

6. Approximate date of filing lawsuit: N/A

7. Approximate date of disposition: N/A

**II. Place of Present Confinement:** KING County Correctional Facility

A. Is there a prisoner grievance procedure available at this institution?  Yes  No

B. Have you filed any grievances concerning the facts relating to this complaint?

Yes  No

If your answer is NO, explain why not:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

C. Is the grievance process completed?  Yes  No

**If your answer is YES, ATTACH A COPY OF THE FINAL GRIEVANCE  
RESOLUTION for any grievance concerning facts relating to this case.**

**III. Parties to this Complaint**

A. Name of Plaintiff: Sean D. Anderson Inmate No.: 216022188

Address: KCCF 500 FIFTH AVE Seattle WA 98104

(In Item B below, place the full name of the defendant, his/her official position, and his/her place of employment. Use item C for the names, positions and places of employment of any additional defendants. Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

B. Defendant: Seattle Police Dept. Official Position: S.W.A.T.

Place of employment: Seattle Police Department (Robbery Division)

C. Additional defendants Allen K. Richards (Police Officer Seattle Police Dept.) and his partner.

**IV. Statement of Claim**

(State here as briefly as possible the facts of your case. Describe how each defendant is involved, including dates, places, and other persons involved. Do not give any legal arguments or cite any cases or statutes. If you allege a number of related claims, number and set forth each claim in a separate paragraph. Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

On August 3rd 2016, while being handcuffed by Allen K. Richards and the Seattle Police Dept. near 35<sup>th</sup> Ave N.E. & N.E. 85<sup>th</sup> street, my 3 middle fingers on my left hand were deliberately bent backwards causing excruciating pain. I told the officers I was "not resisting" and that "they were hurting me". The officers then beat them back further, fracturing my left ring finger and tearing the ligaments. (attached is the MRI results from Harborview Medical Center.) Allen K. Richards and his partner (I don't have his name) were the arresting officers. my case # in the Robbery Division, West precinct is 2016-278781

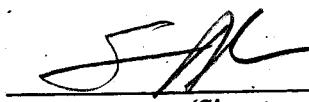
**V. Relief**

(State briefly exactly what you want the court to do for you. Make no legal arguments. Cite no cases or statutes.)

I would like to sue the Seattle Police Department and Allen K. Richards in the amount of \$250,000.00 (Two hundred and Fifty thousand dollars) for Police Misconduct / use of excessive force. I am also requesting the court to issue a court order permitting me to act as my own attorney or (pro se). Thank You

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed this 09<sup>th</sup> day of January 20 17.

  
(Signature of Plaintiff)

Name Sean Anderson

Bkg. # 246022188

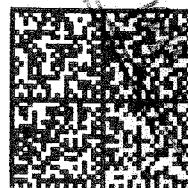
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